Found Dead Near Buffalo After Being Shipped in a Bundle from New York by the Way of Hoboken.

HAD BEEN KILLED BY A BLOW ON THE NECK.

Only Clue to the Mystery is a Fine Linen Cloth in Which the Infant Was Wrapped Before Sent Away.

BUFFALO. Dec. 17 .- The body of ac eight-month-old infant child has been found here in a bundle of waste paper that was shipped from New York to the Tanawanda Board and Paper Works at Tonawanda, a suburb of this city. The child had evidently been mur

The neck had been broken with Mow of some blunt instrument. This is apparent from a large round bruise on the back of the neck, which covers the spot where the fracture of the spinal nn was found. The child was undoubtedly killed about

two weeks ago. When first discovered the body of the infant was wrapped in a doylie of beautiful design and exquisite workmanship It was concealed in the middle of a

bundle of waste paper. The police of Tonawanda were first notified and they communicated with the Buffalo force. Detectives were assigned to the case from here and they learned that the bundle in which the phild was found had been shipped her from New York by way of Hoboken. The police of Hoboken and New York

Medical Examiner Dr. Danser, of Buftalo, who took charge of the body, said:
"The blow on the react caused death. The child died instan ly. There are no other marks on the body.

The doylle is the only clue the au thorities have to work on. It is of the finest workmanship and was made from the most expensive grade of pure white linen. It is the work of no amateur in

linen. It is the work of no amateur in the fancy work line.

"One corner of the doylie was cut off as though with a knife. The supposition is that this corner held initials of some mark by which it might be traced. The doylie was about twenty inches wide and thirty inches long.

"The bale of waste paper was shipped from New York to a warehouse in Hoboken two weeks ago to-day arriving at the paper works at Tonawanda yesday morning."

WEDS GIRL WHOSE

Sergt. Reardon, of Jersey City

lay that Miss Anna Well, the gretty Church last Tuesday evening.

Sergt. Reardon about a year ago rescued his bride from a fire which almost have been received from women, who destroyed her father's home. She ad- had been insulited while walking along mired the policeman for his bravery. Bedford avenue. He fell in love with her, and when he asked her to marry him she said:

"Brave fellow again. I wanted to ask you, but thought you didn't care enough ing. I am determined now to break up for me to take me for a wife." couple will reside at No. 239 Four-

GEN. LEW WALLACE

Hasn't Got Appendicitis, Is in Vigorous Health, and Is Here Buying Outfits for Duck-Shooting Trip.

Gen. Lew Wallace, the distinguished author of "Ben Hur," "A Prince of India" and other works, arrived in this city on Wednesday, with his son, Henry L. Wallace, and went to the Holland House, Gen. Wallace didn't take Crawfordsville, where he lives, or Indian polis, where he is well known, into his idence before leaving, and his perplexed fellow-citizens finally decided

that he must have appendicitis. which this conclusion was reached has not been explained yet, but when Gen. up a newspaper, about the first thing that caught his eye was a despatch from Indianapolis to the effect that his rermiform appendix was out of gear and that he had come here to have it amounts of the company of the

mat he had come here to have it amputated.

After sounding himself to be sure that appendicitis hadn't stolen on him unawares during the night, Gen. Wallace received an Evening World reporter and delivered himself as follows:

"I came here on Sunday with my son to buy a couple of hunting outfits. We are going back to Indiana in a few days and from there go into the Kankakee River district for the duck shooting. I never was in better health in my life. I'm going to look up the fellow who is trying to make an invalid out of me when I get back home and he'll need an operation for semething when I

MISS KATHARINE BARNEY, NIECE



POLICE TO BREAK UP BEDFORD GANG

Capt. Kenny Is Working Hard to Put an End to the Complaints of Insult by Brooklyn

Police Captain Kenny, of the Atlantic avenue station, in Brooklyn, with his discussing to-day the announcement of two detectives, is working harder than the forthcoming marriage of the Duke of ever to-day to find the members of the Bedford gang who beat Miss Mary Harper, of No. 1401 Dean street, while she was on her way to church.

The Duke and Miss Maxwell are first

dangerous unorganized crowds of young men in Brooklyn. They are not like tough gangs in Manhattan or in fact in any other cities. They are well-dressed loafers supported by their parents. They spend the days playing pool and billiards or shooting crap in the neighborhood of Fulton street and Bedford avenue.

It was announced in Jersey City toward that Miss Anna Well, the pretty

dangerous unorganized crowds of young men in Brooklyn. They are not like title will become extinct upon his the title will become extinct upon his death. The Scottish barony dates from the title will become extinct upon his death. The Scottish barony dates from like some, one of the best types of the assons. Lord Herries is one of the less types of the allectic girl of the period. She is a sond. Catholic peers.

The Duke of Norfolk is the premier peer of England, and as Earl Marshal with and loves to drive her father's superituends the coronation and other state ceremonies. He is fifty-five years are the Misses Ellis, daughters of Herman Ellis, of Short Hills, N. J.; the Creden and ashes in a vain quest for the men in Brooklyn. They are not like the title will become extinct upon his death. The Scottish barony. He received an imperial barony in 1884, but having no son the title will become extinct upon his death. The Scottish barony dates from Miss Barney went abroad to complete the education and hand-assons, one of the best types of the athletic girl of the period. She is a son. Catholic peers.

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young girls. daughter of George Well, a wealthy The gang received the attention of the grocer of No. 97 Webster avenue, was police at the time of the murder of quietly married to Police Sergeant Walter Brooks, for which Fiorence Michael F. Reardon by Rev. Mark Burns was detained by the police in Duffy, in St. Michael's Roman Catholic Manhattan. Since then members of the gang have been keeping under cover until lately, when many complaints

"There is no doubt," said Capt. Kenn; to-day, 'that these young men insult women who are unescorted in the eventhe gang. I am not going to stop work on the case of Miss Harper until I have teenth street, a dainty home owned by arrested her assailants. Every time w see one of the gang we take him before Miss Harper for identification. I believe Miss Harper's story absolutely I have evidence now that I think wil lead to a quick arrest in the case.

Ebstein Takes a Hand. Police Commissioner Ebstein has take

NOT AN INVALID Police Commissioner Ebstein has taken such an interest in the case that, besides ordering Capt. Formosa to put men such an interest in the case that, besides ordering Capt. Formosa to put men
on it, he has assigned Detective McCurdy, of his own staff, to take charge.
"We are doing all we can to suppress
these toughs and rufflans." he said,
"and I do not believe there is a better
policed section of the city. I do not
think these men belong to any one organized gang, but chat they meet in twos
and threes, and, having nothing else to
do, they insult young women.
"In this particular case I do not believe a conviction can be secured even
if the guilty men are arrested, as Miss
tharper seems unable to identify them.
The excitement of the moment prevented her from taking a look at them
which she would remember. I am convinced o this after having received the
reports o my detectives."

Mexico's Floating Gardens,

(From Arboriculture.)
While the City of Mexico is 8,000 feet higher than sea lever, there are in the deinity several lakes and marshy tracts which require extensive drainage operations. The Viga canal is one of these great drainage systems, and upon it are numerous barges which transport farm and garden produce from the market gardens to the city. Flat-bottomed boats propelled by a pole, convey passengers to the floating gardens. The gardens are located upon marsh land quite similar to the tule lands of California. The soil is composed of decayed reed and grass roots, being entirely of vegetable mould and quite fertile. Ditches at frequent intervals drain the gardens and furnish means of communication by canoes and small boats to the larger canal, and thus to the city. Here are the great market gardens, where vegetables are grown for Mexico's consumption. Here, too, are grown the magnificent flowers which form one of the principal attractions to Mexico City, the flower market being a wonder in the quantity and exquisite beauty both of the individual trople flowers and the magnificent floral flowers, which are made with great taste and skill. Street cars also connect the city with the villages upon the Viga canal, and they are well parontsed. great drainage systems, and upon it are

DUKE OF NORFOLK TO WED HEIRESS

Announces Approaching Marriage to Elder Daughter of Lord Herries, the Honorable Gwendolen May Maxwell.

The Bedford gang is one of the most heiress presumptive to her father's spent many fruitless hours sorting debris and ashes in a vain quest for them.

NOW MRS. EISSERT CAN SEEK A DIVORCE

Supreme Court in Brooklyn Holds that There Was a Common-Law Marriage with F. R. Eissert.

A jury in Part V. of the Brooklyn Su preme Court decided to-day that a common-law marriage existed between Frederick R. Eissert and Johanna Eissert, of Elmhurst. The decision grew out of an action brought by the woman to establish her right to sue for separation and

live with Elssert under a common law agreement in 1896, that two children were born to her and that Eissert had deserted her for long periods on two occasions. The jury was instructed to find that there was a common law marriage if the woman had proved that the birth of the children consummated the contract. The action for separation will

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FOR HEROIC NIECE

Night at His Residence, When Miss Katharine Barney Will Make Her Debut.

SHOWED COURAGE AT A FIRE

She Found the Country Home of Her Parents Was Ablaze and Saved Lives of Her Mother and the Ser

At a ball to be given to-morrow evening by her uncle. William C. Whitney n his handsome residence at the corner of Fifth avenue and Sixty-eighth street Miss Katharine Barney, second daughte of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tracy Barney, of No. 67 Park avenue, will make he ow to society.

Everything that money and taste can do to make the occasion memorable among the balls of exclusive and extravagant New York society has been The cotillon, for which favors have been specially imported from the other side, will be led by Miss Barney and Worthington Whitehouse, who, with Elisha Dyer, jr., has for many year sivided the cotillon honors of New York Lander's orchestra will play its sweetest music in the debutante's honor, and the supper, which will be served at small tables, will be provided by Sherry.

Heroine of a Fire. To her large circle of friends Miss Barney's debut will be interesting merely as that of the pretty daughter of one millionaire and the niece of another. But to the general public she is known as the intrepid young girl who a little more than two years ago saved the lives of her mother and three servants, exposed to a horrible death by fire in the destruction of the Barney country home at Southampton, L. I.

Miss Barney, who was at that time little more than a child, was wakened by the sound of crackling wood and in a few moments knew that the house was on fire. All the electric lights in the on fire. All the electric lights in the great house had been turned off at midnight, but after a frantic search she discovered some candles which had been provided for an emergency, lighted one and flew through the corridors to her mother's room and from thence from one door to another till the very top of the house had been reached and every member of the household had been warned. Before she reached the servants' dormitory, which was just above her room, the whole top of the house was shooting flames, visible for miles around. But Miss Barney pushed her way through the fire and smoke and roused the three sleeping servant girls. Within the next two hours only three tail chimneys and a mass of twisted iron girders remained of what had been the finest residence on Eastern Long Island.

Lost \$125,000 in Diamonds.

Lost \$125,000 in Diamonds. The captain is determined to break up the gang. Already he has rounded up six members of the gang and taken them one by one to Miss Harper's home, but she failed to identify any one of them as her assailant.

The Duke and Miss Maxwell are first cousins, and it is said application has gas Miss Lilly Whitney, sister of William C. Whitney, who gives to-morton's ball in her honor, lost over has granted the dispensation or signified his intention of doing so.

The Hon. Gwendolen Mary Maxwell is seekers swarmed to Southhampton and them as her assailant.

debits and assess them.

Shortly after her heroic adventure Miss Barney went abroad to complete her education and has only recently returned.

In appearance she is tall and handle one one of the best types of the least types of the least types.

OF WILLIAM C. WHITNEY. WHITNEY'S DANCE Last Soldier of 1812

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man Ellis, of Short Hills, N. J.; the Cryden triplets, and Miss Wycoff.
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